

## COUNTY'S FINANCES GOOD

Auditor of Washington Will Report Large Increase in Receipts.

STILLWATER, MINN.—The advance sheets of the financial statement for Washington county, in course of preparation by Auditor Brown, show a flattering condition. The receipts for the past year were \$330,968.33, which is \$22,342.53

larger than in 1904. This is accounted for partly because the collection of current taxes was better, amounting to 93 per cent of the amount assessed, and on account of the forfeited land sale last November. The tax levy for last year was \$233,701.75. The collection of delinquent taxes last year was \$21,310.34, almost double the sum of \$11,080.45 collected the year before. The expenditures from the county revenue fund last year amounted to \$30,742.24, or a reduction of \$4,970.89, as compared with the year 1904. This in the face

of the fact that a barn had to be built on the poorfarm to replace the one burned. The amount paid for relief of the poor the past year out of the poorfarm expense was \$2,751.50. The amount paid out of funds of the county last year was \$48,226.76, or \$5,603.76 less than in 1904. The state and county tax for both years was the same, \$2 mills. The assets of the county amounted to \$213,420 and the liabilities to only \$3,906.12 for current bills. There is no bonded debt. The taxable valuation of the property of the county is \$9,567,849.

## PASTOR AIDS COLLEGE

Albert Lea Institution to Be Placed on Good Financial Basis.

ALBERT LEA, MINN.—Judge Kingsley has signed an order which removes the Albert Lea college corporation from the bankruptcy courts and discharges C. H. Freeman, the assignee. Rev. Mr. Weaver, who has been instrumental in securing the discharge of the assignee, will

go to Chicago, New York and other cities in the east in an endeavor to complete a proposed endowment for the college, and it is expected that before the time for the opening of the next college year the institution will be on a substantial footing.

to the business immediately in hand as to imagine that you can dispense entirely with want advertising.

Low Rate to Chicago and Back. \$11.50 via Chicago Great Western Railway, on sale Jan. 20. Limit Jan. 30. Tickets on sale at city ticket office, corner Nicollet avenue and Fifth st.

"Idleness is the holiday of fools" and the prudent worker may abolish "fools' holidays" from his calendar by looking for work in "The Journal want ad. way."

"Learn a Little Every Day."—Let your lesson today be to get acquainted with the superior quality of Pickwick Rye, the best whiskey.

Slim, Stout, Short, Long-stout, Short-stout and Regular Sizes Guarantee a Perfect Fit to Every Man or Boy, However Proportioned



MINNEAPOLIS—315-325 Nicollet Avenue. ST. PAUL—Seventh and Robert Streets.

## Hat Furore!

Selling Hats—from all discontinued lines, left overs from last season, for choice. \$1

MASHIES DERBIES  
FEDORAS FLANGES

\$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50 \$1  
grades cut to . . .



## "Quality" Trousers at Present Cost of Raw Material

Grand array! A display unmatched anywhere! All sizes!

Hand Tailored Trousers	Dauntless Worsted Trousers	"Rock" Worsted Trousers	Shropshire Worsted Trousers	Blended Wool Worsted Trousers	Reading Lamb's Wool Trousers
Finest fancy worsteds. Holmes Head Tweeds, Silk Mixed Worsteds.	Pure twilled "thru and thru" fabric; also heavy black Thibets and half-peg college Chevots. 120 patterns.	Hard finish favored for business wear. Hairlines, pinchecks, stripes.	Wool from Shropshire and Cotswold lambs—selected product. Plain grays, striped grays, overweaves.	This "cross-bred" stock effects strongest type of non-shrinking, color-fast dressy trousers.	Always the same reliable grade undyed and unmixed lamb's wool, guaranteed rip-proof.
Plain and semi-bloomer cut. Advance fashions. Pegged bottoms, \$10 special order, value.	Sailor waists, spring or plain hips. All \$5 and \$6 special order quality.	Extraservice, serged seams, silk and linen thread sewed. Regulation \$4.50 Trousers goodness.	30 effects—triple twists, light silk mixtures, dark Bedford cords, \$4 showing.	Taped and double stayed seams; buttons have patent hold-fast; \$3 trousers.	Three straight or herringbone weaves, equaling the strongest \$2.50 business trousers on earth.
\$5	\$4	\$3.50	\$3	\$2	\$1.50

## "Quality" Overcoats

At Unmatchable Prices.

New Semi Form-Fit Varsity Overcoats—High-grade unfinished worsted. Made with side creases from head of vent. An advance overcoat style. Found here exclusively. Absolutely new.	\$27.50
Silk Lined Surtouts and Paletots—Fine unsheared worsteds. Blacks and oxfords. Would be \$60 to \$75 if made to individual order. Now.	\$40.00
Paletots and Surtouts—In unsheared worsteds. Hand turned edges. Positively correct for two seasons to come. Black and deep oxford gray.	\$30.00
Full Box Cut Ryton Overcoats—Black and grey undressed worsteds. Worsteds lined. Silk sleeve lining. Hand stitched or raised seam edges. Now.	\$30.00
Varsity and Ryton Box Overcoats—Extra long loose effect. Double stitched seams. A fashion exclusive with us. \$35 special order value.	\$25.00
Double Breasted English Three-Button Box Overcoats—Plain black kersey. Extra broad shoulder. ¾ length. Eminent proper and found in these stocks only for the twin cities.	\$24.00
German Beaver Cloth Coats—Full silk lined. Ryton style. Blacks and oxfords. Soft velvety velour finish. Extra lengths. Now.	\$22.50
St. Regis Kersey and Beaver Cloth Overcoats—Full length. Ryton cut. Extra weight. Flat or welt seams. Now.	\$18.00
Fancy Tourist Overcoats and Yarbrough English Great Coats—Pronounced Scotch plaids, Plain gray chevots and hand loomed tweeds. Overcoats that sold this season as high as \$30. Now, choice.	\$15.00
Extra Weight Storm Overcoats—Browns, grays and blacks. Pure Ontario winter tweeds. 30 ounces to the yard. \$15 overcoat value.	\$9.75

## Decisive Fur Reductions

\$80, \$65, \$70, \$75 Fur Lined Coats, \$50—Otter and brook mink collared. Choice muskrat lined. Fine kersey shell, 53-inch length. Now.	\$50
\$90 and \$100 Fur Lined Coats, \$75—Labrador or Hudson Bay unplucked otter collared. Brook mink lined. English kersey top. Now.	\$75
\$60 and \$65 Raccoon Overcoats, \$49—Prime northern skins. Dark-river mink and nutria trimmed collars, cuffs and pockets. Satin quilted lined. Now.	\$49
\$35 Russian Calf Overcoats, \$24.75—Finest quality Southern beaver or high-grade brook mink trimming on collars and cuffs. Now.	\$24.75
Australian Wombat Overcoats—Heavy pelts. Selected silver grey skins. Quilted lined. Self trimmed. Extra roomy. Perfect for teaming. \$30 value. Now.	\$19
Coachmen's Fur Collared Coats—Detachable brook mink collar. Fine 32-oz. kersey top. 30-oz. quilted cheviot lining.	\$30
Dipped Brook Mink Collared Overcoats—Genuine St. George kersey shells. Full yoke. Extra grade trimmings. \$35 special order quality. Now.	\$25
Real Dyed Nutria Collared Overcoats—Full satin lining. Long furled. Hand tailored throughout.	\$37.50
\$20 Brook Mink Collared Overcoats, \$12.50—Plain dark friezes. Short lots and broken sizes, \$20 grade. Lot may not last the day out.	\$12.50
Detachable Fur Collars—Our own make. \$5, \$7.50, \$10, \$12.75, \$25 and \$30.	

## Unprecedented Suit Values

Genuine Bannockburn Tweed Suits—Fancy Scotch chevots. Pronounced stripe and check patterns and indistinct mixtures. Some extra length coats. Absolutely pure wool. \$20 and \$25 values. Now.	\$15.00
Burberry Pattern Bronze-Green Worsted Suits—And exclusive gun-club check patterns in brown unfinished worsteds. Deep side vents. Spring back coats. Half-peg trousers. Regular \$35 to-order values. Now.	\$20.00
Shepherd Check Gray Worsted Suits—Two-toned gray-green worsteds and plain wide wale gray worsteds. Many are silk lined. Highest grade ready-to-wear clothing made. Styles shown in only one make and in this store exclusively for local market. \$40 and \$50 advance spring patterns.	\$25.00
Wonscock Patriot Serge Suits and Nubian Black Thibet Suits—Serge lined. Single and double breasted. Wide lapels. Heavy weights. \$15 quality.	\$9.75
American Woollen Company Serge Suits and Brazilian Wool Thibet Suits—Medium lengths. Full Venetian lined. Center vented. Made with haircloth front. Uncommon \$18 value.	\$12.00
Lymansville Marine Serges and Pure Australian Wool Thibets—20-oz. to the yard. Single breasted and 1906 Newport cut double breasted coats. Extra high grade. Sealing to \$20 value.	\$15.00
Storm Serges and Queensland Wool Thibets—Extra narrow wale, 9-inch center vent. Plain or fitted with white corded silk vest-edge.	\$18.00
Genuine Hockanum Serges and American Velvet Velour Thibets—Extra long coats. Creased seam backs. Hand made button holes. Imported Venetian lined. Wide silk vesting.	\$20.00
Pure Silk Lined Imported Hockanum Serge Suits and Thibet Suits—Made with extreme length coats and hand welted side seams. Semi-peg trousers. Advance spring-back model. Same suits would cost \$40 on special order.	\$25.00

## Terrific Cut!

Saturday Only! Surplus Stock of Suits in Sizes 34-35-36.

We shall clean up worsteds, Thibets, cassimeres without reserve.

STANDARD

\$12 \$15 \$16 \$18 \$20 \$24

SUITS to fit small men and big boys. Saturday only

\$7.50

## Boys' and Children's Suits Worth to \$4 and \$5, at \$1.75

Boys' Suits—Double Breasted Children's Suits—Eton Norfolk and Norfolk, Cassimeres, and Norfolk, Serge, Worsteds and Chevots—sizes 3 to 6. \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$5 grades. Special.

Richest Tourist Overcoats and Heavy Reefers—Overcoats in deep plaids and oxfords. Ankle lengths. Single and double-breasted. Sizes 7 to 16; and Reefers, extra weight, storm collar. Flannel lined. Muff pocketed. Sizes 7 to 16. Overcoats and reefers in values to \$6.50. Choice, special.

Military Coats for Children—Heavy chevots and meltons. Fancy trimmed sleeves with fancy emblems. Long cut. Sizes 3 to 8. Special value.

Extra High Grade Suits—Broken lines in strictly pure wool unfinished worsteds, cassimeres and serge. Many Venetian lined. Choice of bloomer style, double-breasted style or wide pleat Norfolk. Size range 7 to 17. \$7.50, \$8 and \$9 grades, special, choice.

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Cossack Overcoats—Short lots. Broken lines in belted all wool chevots. Ankle and ¾ length. Double-breasted. Sizes 2½ to 8. \$5 and \$6 values.

Heavy Cheviot Suits for boys. All wool fancies. Some heavyweight worsteds. Sizes 6 to 16. Out to.

## Greatest Offers Youths' Suits and Overcoats

\$24 Fancy Weave Overcoats, \$15—Finest Fancy Overcoats made for young men. Belt backs or Rytons. Imported Scotch tweeds and chevots. 30 to 36 chest. Overcoats that sold for \$20, \$22 and \$24—now.	\$15
\$25 Fancy Weave Suits, \$15—This entire line of fancy fabrics. New "Fraternity model" styles. Long coats. Side or center vented. 30 to 36 chest. Suits that earlier in the season brought \$20, \$22, \$24 and \$25. Now, special.	\$15
College Suits for Youths—Fancy Scotch plaids chevots and worsteds. Venetian lined throughout. Single or double breasted. 30 to 36 chest. Special.	\$9.75
College Overcoats—Full box cut. Blacks and grays. Swellest 1906 fancy chevots. Broad shouldered, athletic styles. Sizes 30 to 36. Special.	\$9.75
Aetna Blue Serge Suits and Himalayan Thibet Suits for youths. Medium long coats. Center vented. Winter weight. Sizes 30 to 36 chest. Now.	\$9.75
Tillotson Serge and Urquardt Thibet Suits for young men. Venetian lined. New long cut single breasted coats. Sizes 30 to 36.	\$12
Single and Double-breasted Marine Serge Suits and Liama Thibets. Hair cloth fronts. Concave shoulders. Hand padded. Newest extra length coats. Sizes 30 to 36 chest.	\$15
Silk Lined Thibet Suits for youths. Single and double breasted, center or side vented. Permanently welted seams. Sizes 30 to 36 chest. Special.	\$20
Advance 1906 Style Thibet Suits—Coats cut extra long with center or side vents. Vests with or without white silk embroidered vest edge. Creased \$16.50 back. Welt seams.	\$16.50

## Important, Substantial Boys'-Pants Savings.

Double Seat and Knee Knee Pants—All wool chevots and cassimeres; taped seams. Only knee pants in city with double seat and knee selling under 75c. Sizes 3 to 17.	45c
Heavy Weight All Wool Knee Pants—Serges, Fancy Worsteds, Thibets and Corduroys. Patent extension waistbands. Silk stitched, values of \$1.50. Sizes 3 to 17.	98c
Bloomer and Plain Cut Knee Pants—Heavy winter Tevia tweeds and cassimeres. Thibets in blue and black. Qualities of the \$1.25 standard. Sizes 3 to 17.	75c
Cassimere Bloomer Pants and plain cut pants. Scotch effect tweeds and fancy worsteds. Rich wide wale serges. Sizes 3 to 17.	\$1.45
Boys' Long Pants—All wool chevots, tweeds, cassimeres and worsteds, \$3.50 grade.	\$2.50
Striped Cassimere Trousers for youths, heavy weights. Sizes 14 to 20 years. Sp1 value.	\$1.50
Long Pants for Boys—Heavy chevots and cassimeres. All wool. Sizes 14 to 19. Cut from \$2 and \$2.50 to.	\$1



# Imperative Broken Lot Clearance! High Grade Quality Merchandise!

Cost Ignored! Sensational Selling to Sweep Out Surplus!

### FOR MEN:

\$4.50, \$4 and \$3.50 Fancy Vests, Silks and Linens, \$1.50.  
75c and 50c English Web and Embroidered Suspenders, 25c.  
50c Heavy German Home-knit Wool Sox, 25c.  
20c Cotton and Silk Embroidered Lisle Thread Hose, 9c.  
\$12 and \$10 All Wool Blanket Cloth Lounging Robes, \$5.  
\$1.50 Wool Fleece Lined Gloves, Dress Leathers, \$1.  
\$1 Horse Hide and Calfskin Wool Lined Mitts, 50c.  
15c Plain White and Colored Border Japonette Handkerchiefs, 8c.  
\$12 and \$10 Melton and Frieze Overcoats, Large sizes, \$4.95.  
\$10, \$9 and \$8 Chinilla and Frieze Driving Reefers, all sizes, \$4.50.  
\$4.50 Fur Lined Gloves, Lamb, Squirrel and Muskrat Lining, \$2.  
25c Bow Ties. Cut from 50c Neokwear Silks, 8c.  
\$1 Way Mufflets and Silk Harvard Mufflers, 25c.  
\$1.50 Oxford and Outing Flannel Pajamas, \$1.  
75c and 50c Golf Gloves and Leather Gloves and Mitts, 25c.

### FOR MEN:

\$1 and 75c Imported Madras Golf Shirts, collars to match, 50c.  
\$1 Dress Shirts, 17, 17½, 18 and 18½ only; plain white, 50c.  
\$6 Shaker Knit Athletic Sweaters, combination colors, \$3.50.  
\$5 Wool Fleece Jersey Jackets, double breasted, \$2.50.  
\$1 Natural Wool and Camel's Hair Underwear, 50c.  
\$6 Genuine Pieced Seal Caps, two shapes, \$2.95.  
\$5 and \$3.50 Silk Lined Imported Tuxedo Hats, \$2.  
Camel's Hair Natural Wool and Black Hose, 11c.  
75c Leather and Double Knit Wool Gloves, 25c.  
\$2.25 Wool Sweaters, Heavy German Knit, \$1.  
Heavy Weight Outing Flannel Night Robes, 39c.  
German Knit Worsteds Cardigan Jackets, \$1.95.  
\$1.75 Opera and Everett Style Slippers, 79c.  
\$1.35 Storm Fleece Lined Overshoes, 85c.  
\$1.50 Brook Mink Fur Inband Caps, \$1.

### FOR BOYS:

75c Fleece Lined Jersey Leggings, sizes 4 and 5, 25c.  
\$1.75 High Cut Leather Top Shoe Paces, \$1.19.  
\$1.25 Wool Fleece Lined Buckle and Storm Overshoes, 69c.  
48c Ideal Underwaists and Hose Supporters, 19c.  
40c Cassimere Knee Pants, sizes 4 to 15, 19c.  
Heavy Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, 15c.  
Fleece Lined Canvas Leggings, sizes 6 to 15, 50c.  
Moccasin Stockings and German Sox, 50c.  
\$2.50 and \$2 All Wool Cheviot Long Pants, sizes 14 to 19, \$1.  
\$1 and 75c Brighton All Wool Kersey Caps, 25c.  
\$1 Camel's Hair and Pure Worsteds Tams and Toques, 25c.  
25c Double Knit Scotch Wool and Worsteds Gloves, 10c.  
75c Colored Madras Golf Shirts, 25c.  
\$2, \$1.50 and \$1 Juvenile Sweaters, small sizes, 50c.

## \$2.50, \$2 and \$1.50 Underwear, \$1.

Silk and wool, silk striped worsteds. Saxony wools and plush backs—Double Breasted—Double Back or single thickness. Natural wools and camels hairs—worth, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50.

## \$2.50, \$2 and \$1.50 Shirts, \$1.15.

Anderson Scotch Madras, Indian Madras and French Percalés. Pleated, Stiff and Soft Bosoms. Shirts with cuffs attached or two pair detached cuffs, \$1.50, \$2.00, and \$2.50 shirts at.

## \$1, 75c and 50c Hose, 25c.

Lisles, silk embroidered silk-and-lisles, Sea Island and Maco cottons. Solid and Fancy Colors. Plain or bleached split foot hose, worth 50c, 75c, \$1. . . 25c

## \$1 and 75c Ties, 35c.

Wide English Squares, French fold and reversible four-in-hands, Ascots, puffs and tecks. Imported Silks. Every design and pattern, 75c and \$1 values. . . . 35c

## \$1.50 and \$1 Caps, 29c.

Fur in-band, pull-down, button top and jockey shapes. High Grade Makes. Odd lots, worth \$1, \$1.50 and above. . . . 29c

## 50c Ties, 15c.

French four-in-hands and Imperials; Brocades and plain effects. Entirely new weaves and designs. Richest Domestic Silks. Correct, fashionable 50c neckwear at. . . . 15c